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In re Application of:

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 VIA HAND CARRY

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Dear Sir:

In an attempt to fully comply with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in conformance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, applicant wishes to bring to the attention of the U.S. Patent Office the following references:

U.S. Patent No. 4,578,619 Japanese Patent No. H2-1100 (corresponds to US Pat. No. 4,758,619)

Copies of these references and form PTO-A820 are attached.

Please charge the submission of an Information Disclosure Statement fee of \$180.00 to our Deposit Account No. 19-2814. A copy of this letter is attached for that purpose.

Applicant received a Notice of Allowance dated October 16, 2003, and has not yet paid the issue fee. It is respectfully requested that notification of the entrance of the Information Disclosure Statement be timely provided to the applicant prior to the issue fee due date of January 16, 2004.

The undersigned attorney hereby certifies that the item contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was discovered no more than three months prior to the filing of this statement.

If the Examiner believes that a telephone conference would help further the prosecution of this case, he is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned attorney at the listed telephone number.

Very truly yours,

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